



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, there is a threat to life and property in the State of Idaho as a result of severe weather, resulting in flooding; and power outages;

WHEREAS, serious structural damages are occurring to private and public structures or facilities; and

WHEREAS, there is an extreme peril to the safety of persons and property as to be beyond the control of services, personnel, equipment and facilities of the local and state government and private sector.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Sections 46-601 and 46-1008 of the Idaho Code do hereby find and therefore proclaim and declare:

- 1. That a state of extreme emergency described in Section 46-601 (a)(2), Idaho Code, exists in the State of Idaho.*
- 2. That a state of disaster emergency described in Section 46-1008(2), Idaho Code, exists in the State of Idaho.*
 - (a) That the nature of the emergency is the occurrence and imminent threat of injury to people and loss of property as the result of the severe weather and power outages.*
 - (b) That the area threatened by the disaster emergency is the State of Idaho.*
 - (c) That the area subject to this proclamation shall include Ada, Boise, Canyon, Gem, Owyhee, and Payette Counties in the State of Idaho.*
- 3. This Proclamation serves, pursuant to Section 46-601 and Section 46-1008, Idaho Code, as authorization for the Idaho State Police to suspend service hours for Idaho Power for a period of five days as a result of this emergency.*

The states of extreme emergency and disaster emergency hereby proclaimed and declared shall continue for a period of thirty days unless sooner terminated or extended in thirty-day increments.



Ben Yursa

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this twenty-ninth day of July in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-seventh and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred thirteenth.

Dirk Kempthorne

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

BEN YURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE